

MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE
FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1939.

A total of 31 attacks with 19 deaths from Plague was returned during the week against 57 attacks with 39 deaths in the previous week. Mysore City reported 3 attacks with 3 deaths, while Bangalore City and Kolar Gold Field Area continued to remain free from the disease. Comparative figures for the corresponding weeks in 1938 and 1937 were 34 attacks with 23 deaths and 52 attacks with 35 deaths, respectively.

A total of 8 attacks with nil death from Small-pox was reported from one village in each of Chitaldrug and Sagar Taluk, Channapatna Town and Mysore City.

The State remained free from Cholera, Influenza and Relapsing Fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 117 (18 in hospitals), representing a calculated death-rate of 28.0 (23.7 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 29.9 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered—3 under Typhoid, 1 under Other Fevers, 11 under Phthisis, 16 under Dysentery and Diarrhoea and 86 under all other causes. The reported mortality was normal.

During the week, the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, returned 67 deaths (4 in hospitals), representing a calculated death-rate of 23.7 (22.3 excluding hospital deaths), per mille of population as against 29.7 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were—Broncho-Pneumonia 5, Pneumonia 4, Typhoid 1, Dysentery and Diarrhoea 8, and all other causes 49. The reported mortality was normal.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 68 (23 in hospitals), representing a calculated death-rate of 27.9 (18.5 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 30.5 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were—Plague 3, Malaria 1, Typhoid 3, Other Fevers 2, Phthisis 9, Dysentery and Diarrhoea 8, and all other causes 42. The reported mortality was low.

There were 47 deaths (9 in hospitals), from all causes in Kolar Gold Field Area equivalent to a calculated death-rate of 29.5 (23.8 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 26.9 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered—5 under other Fevers, 5 under Phthisis, 9 under Dysentery and Diarrhoea and 30 under all other causes. The reported mortality was normal.

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OFFICE OF THE CHIEF INSPECTOR OF FACTORIES IN MYSORE,
BANGALORE.

Statement of cotton pressed in the Mysore State for the week ending 29th September 1939.
[Section 5 (ii).]

Name of the Division or Block	Number of bales pressed				Remarks
	During the week	During the corres- ponding week of last year	Since the com- mencement of the season, 1st Sep- tember 1939	During the corresponding period of last year	
1	2	3	4	5	6
Mysore State ...	858	65	581	605	...

BANGALORE,
Dated 3rd October 1939.

Statement of cotton pressed in the Mysore State for the week ending 6th October 1939
[Section 5 (ii).]

Name of the Division or Block	Number of bales pressed				Remarks
	During the week	During the corres- ponding week of last year	Since the com- mencement of the season, 1st Sep- tember 1939	During the corresponding period of last year	
1	2	3	4	5	6
Mysore State ...	478	...	1,004	605	...

BANGALORE,
Dated 9th October 1939.

V. VENKATACHAR,
For Chief Inspector of Factories.